

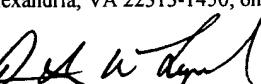


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: HARRISON et al. Examiner: Shah, N.  
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Filed: April 17, 2000 Docket No. **BLD92000004US1**  
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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PRIORITIZING PRINT JOBS FROM  
MULTIPLE PRINTER INPUT CHANNELS

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Presented for appeal are claims 1-37.

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